

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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FIBER-FILLED POLYOLEFINS	)	March 1, 2010
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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed October 28, 2009 concerning the above-referenced patent application. Please enter the following:

**I. Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in a listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper;

**II. Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

In addition, Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the October 28, 2009 Office Action to February 28, 2010. Applicant notes that February 28, 2010 fell on a Sunday. Accordingly, the revised deadline, with extension, is March 1, 2010 and this Amendment is timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1710 for payment of the one month extension fee. Any additional fee required, and any overpayments should also be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1710.